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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application No. 09/647,067

ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL TO EXAMINER

This application was electronically received at the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on February 28, 2005. A review of the application has revealed that the application is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith being returned to the examiner. The matters requiring attention prior to docketing are identified below.

We were unable to locate page 145 of the Spiegel reference relied on by the examiner on page 3 of the Examiner's Answer mailed September 20, 2004.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the application is returned to the Examiner to

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- locate page 145 of the Spiegel reference,
- have complete copy of the reference scanned into the IFW file,
- written notification to the appellants of the action taken, and
- for such further action as may be appropriate.

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